

Introduced by: Councilmember Wright

**CITY OF TAKOMA PARK, MARYLAND**

**RESOLUTION 2009-43**

**NAMING THE LIBRARY CHILDREN'S ROOM AFTER MICHAEL MORRISSEY**

**WHEREAS,** the friends and family of Michael Morrissey have organized annual charity golf tournaments and silent auctions since 2002 and have given all the resulting proceeds to the Friends of the Takoma Park Maryland Library to be used for Library programs and resources; and

**WHEREAS,** the golf tournaments have raised more than \$32,500 for the Library, enabling the funding of a wide range of programs and resources, including the Library's summer reading program, story time in Spanish and French, additional shelving and special performances; and

**WHEREAS,** tournament organizers, Library staff, and the Friends of the Library all desire to establish a lasting tribute to the memory of Michael Morrissey and the generosity that his friends and family have shown toward the Takoma Park Maryland Library; and

**WHEREAS,** the Council wishes to continue the tradition of recognizing the contributions of those who support City services in Takoma Park through their extraordinary efforts.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF TAKOMA PARK, MARYLAND** that the children's reading room in the Takoma Park Maryland Library be named in honor of Michael Morrissey and that it be so designated with a commemorative plaque; and

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that the Library Director and staff are authorized to install the appropriate plaque designating the naming and dedication of the room with appropriate wording.

Adopted this 20th day of July, 2009

**ATTEST:**

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Jessie Carpenter  
City Clerk